Bldgs. S-3898, S-3897 POM Annex, Fort Ord Seaside Co: Monterey CA 93944-5006 Landholding Agency: COE—BC Property Number: 329610029 Status: Pryor Amendment Base closure Number of Units: 2 Comment: 5870 sq. ft. each, presence of asbestos, most recent use—storage

5 Bldgs.
POM Annex, Fort Ord
Bldgs. 3854, 3855, 3856, 3857, 3858
Seaside Co: Monterey CA 93944–5006
Landholding Agency: COE—BC
Property Number: 329610030
Status: Pryor Amendment
Base closure Number of Units: 5
Comment: various sq. ft., possible asbestos, most recent use—maintenance shop

Bldg. 3865
POM Annex, Fort Ord
Seaside Co: Monterey CA 93944–5006
Landholding Agency: COE—BC
Property Number: 329610031
Status: Pryor Amendment
Base closure Number of Units: 1
Comment: 936 sq. ft., most recent use—
maintenance shop.

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Office of the Assistant Secretary for Housing-Federal Housing Commissioner

[Docket No. FR-4020-D-01]

Redelegation of Authority by the Mortgagee Review Board to Conduct Hearings Pursuant to Section 202(c)(4) of the National Housing Act, 12 U.S.C. 1708(c)(4), as Implemented by 24 CFR Part 25

AGENCY: Office of the Assistant Secretary for Housing-Federal Housing Commissioner, HUD.

ACTION: Notice of redelegation of authority.

SUMMARY: The Mortgagee Review Board ("Board") within the Department of Housing and Urban Development redelegates to the Assistant Secretary for Housing-Federal Housing Commissioner, in his/her capacity as chairperson to the Board, the authority to serve as the Board's "hearing official" for appeals of certain sanctions by Mortgagees. The chairperson retains the right to redelegate the authority accompanying the "hearing official" position, to a specific designee on a case-by-case basis.

EFFECTIVE DATE: January 26, 1996. FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Georjan D. Overman, Trial Attorney, Office of General Counsel, Office of Program Enforcement, administrative Proceedings Division, Department of Housing and Urban Development, 451 Seventh Street, SW., Room 10251, Washington, DC 20410, (202) 708–4248. This is not a toll-free number.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: Section 202(c)(4) of the National Housing Act, 12 U.S.C. 1708(c)(4), authorizes the Board to "hold a hearing on the record" concerning certain sanctions it has taken against a mortgagee, if the mortgagee so requests within thirty (30) days notice of the Board's action. Section 202(c)(4) is implemented by **HUD** regulations published at 24 CFR Part 25. On August 1, 1995, Part 25 was amended to allow the Board to redelegate its hearing authority to a "hearing official." 60 FR 39236 (August 1, 1995) (effective August 31, 1995). The "hearing official" reviews submissions by the mortgagee, conducts informal hearings, and prepares findings of fact and a recommended decision to the Board. 60 FR 39238, August 1, 1995 (to be published at 24 CFR 25.8). The present redelegation is intended to allow the Assistant Secretary for Housing/Federal Housing Commissioner, in his/her capacity as chairperson to the Board, to serve as the "hearing official" for appeals of certain sanctions by mortgagees. It also makes clear that the chairperson retains the right to redelegate the authority accompanying the "hearing official" position, to a specific designee on a case-by-case basis. This further redelegation will be accomplished in the form of a written notice from the chairperson of the Board to the affected mortgagee.

Accordingly, the Mortgagee Review Board redelegates authority as follows:

Section A. Authority Redelegated

To the Assistant Secretary for Housing/Federal Housing Commissioner, in his/her capacity as chairperson of the Mortgagee Review Board, there is redelegated the authority of the Mortgagee Review Board to serve as the "hearing official" pursuant to 60 FR 39236, August 1, 1995 (to be published at 24 CFR Part 25).

Section B. Authority to Further Redelegate From the Chairperson to a Specific Designee Only

The chairperson may redelegate to a specific designee all authority granted in Section A., above, except for the authority to further redelegate the authority granted. The redelegation from the chairperson to the specific designee shall be accomplished on a case-by-case basis in the form of a written notice from the chairperson of the Board to the affected mortgagee.

Authority: Sec. 202(c), National Housing Act (12 U.S.C. 1708(c)); Sec. 7(d), Department of Housing and Urban Development Act (42 U.S.C. 3535(d)).

Dated: January 17, 1996.

Nicolas P. Retsinas,

Assistant Secretary for Housing-Federal Housing Commissioner.

Dated: December 12, 1995.

Nelson A. Díaz, General Counsel.

Dated: January 23, 1996.

Kevin G. Chavers,

President, Government National Mortgage Association.

Dated: January 23, 1996.

Marilynn A. Davis,

Assistant Secretary for Administration.

Dated: January 24, 1996. John A. Knubel,

Chief Financial Officer.

Dated: January 25, 1996.

Elizabeth K. Julian,

Acting Deputy Assistant Secretary for Policy and Initiatives, Office of Fair Housing and Equal Opportunity.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

Bureau of Land Management

[AZ-024-096-1220-04]

Closure of Public Land to Camping in Yavapai County, Arizona

AGENCY: Bureau of Land Management, Interior.

ACTION: Notice of closure of public lands to camping.

SUMMARY: Notice is hereby given that the following described lands are temporarily closed until further notice for camping for the protection of public health and safety under the provisions of 43 CFR 8364.1.

Gila and Salt River Meridian, Arizona T. 14N., R. 1W.,

Sec. 31, lots 17, 18, 21, 22, 25, and 26.

EFFECTIVE DATE: This order became effective on the lands described above, on August 22, 1995—the date of signature of the Land Closure Order by the authorized officer.

T. 14N., R. 1W., Sec. 33, W¹/₂W¹/₂NW¹/₄.

EFFECTIVE DATE: This order became effective on the lands described above, on October 31, 1995—the date of signature of the Land Closure Order by the authorized officer.